TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT Docket No. (Under 37 CFR 1.97(b) or 1.97(c)) HCI-10002/38 on Recapplication Of: James D. Hooberman Group Art Unit Filing Date Examiner 2632 — February 9, 2001 VIRTUAL SOUND SYSTEM RECEIVED APR 1 6 2001 Address to: **Assistant Commissioner for Patents Technology Center 2600** Washington, D.C. 20231 37 CFR 1.97(b) The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing of a national application; within three months of the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR 1.491 in an international application; or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever event occurs last. 37 CFR 1.97(c) 2. The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed after three months of the filing of a national application, or the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR 1.491 in an international application; or after the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever occurred last but before the mailing date of either: a Final Action under 37, CFR 1.113, or 1. 2. a Notice of Allowance under 37 CFR 1.311, whichever occurs first. Also submitted herewith is: a certification as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e); OR

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